

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace the third paragraph on page 15 with the following paragraph rewritten in amendment format:

The inner liner comprises an elongate solid body 500 having an outer surface comprising a substantially cylindrical portion 501, and a substantially “U” shaped channel portion 502, the substantially “U” shaped channel 502 residing within part of the substantially cylindrical shaper outer portion to provide first and second wall portions, ~~[[503]]~~ 505, 504 respectively which face opposite each other. The “U” shaped channel comprises a substantially planar surface 506, which extends across and between opposite positions of the substantially part cylindrical outer surface 501, and arranged transversely to the planar channel, a first substantially flat planar wall surface 506 facing inwardly towards the center of the cylinder, and a second substantially flat planar wall surface 507 facing opposite the first wall surface. The two planar wall surfaces oppose each other and are separated from each other by a width distance of the planar channel surface.

Please replace the second paragraph on page 22 with the following paragraph rewritten in amendment format:

Figure 11 shows a distinct advantage of the curved shape of the protection device. Off center ~~Impact forces 1100~~ impact forces to the external outer shell component 1101 are subjected to an increased length of penetration 1102, thus offering an increased impact resistance by shear design.